

Amendments to the Specification:

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 21, line 16 with the following amended paragraph:

Furthermore, the binder used can be homopolymers or multipolymers. For example, multipolymers include those that result from the copolymerization of vinyl acetate, vinyl chloride, and ethylenically unsaturated dicarboxylic acids. Even more specifically, two terpolymers designated VAGF and VAGH (made by Union Carbide) are suitable binders. VAGF consists of vinyl chloride/vinyl acetate/hydroxyalkyl acrylate in proportion 81/4/15. VAGH consists of vinyl chloride/vinyl acetate/vinyl alcohol in proportion 90/4/6. Examples of polymerizable ethylenically unsaturated acids include, but are not limited to itaconic acid, fumaric acid and maleic acid.